

# THE HAMLIN HERALD

IN 35TH YEAR—EVERY WEEK SINCE 1905

HAMLIN, JONES COUNTY, TEXAS FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 1940

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## Lions-Rotary Joint Luncheon Featured Americanism Program

Wednesday the Rotarians and Lions met in joint luncheon at the Model Hotel to hear an "unusual program," and not only "unusual" but a very needed and inspiring program.

Visiting Lions and Rotarians were from Anson, Abilene and Stamford.

The program was one sponsored by the American Legion of Hamlin, with Ira Clements as the director and W. L. Fletcher as chairman. It will be well to remember that once per year every American Legion Post that is alive and functioning, sponsors what is termed "Americanism Principles and Ideals."

Some time ago Eddie Cantor, well known radio broadcaster and entertainer, offered \$4,000 to the high school student who could win out in a contest, who could compose and deliver the best oration on "Preservation of Americanism." The American Legion took up the sponsorship. Each state is divided into districts, and contestants meet and the winner goes to Austin where the State winner is determined and then a group of states assemble to determine the winner of several states and finally the few state-group winners meet in a National Meet where the best is found to be the BEST and thus \$4,000 is given. It is a "Cantor" idea because he was born a foreigner, endured many hardships because he was in a country or among people who did not possess American Ideals and Freedom. Americanism has helped him make of himself something that without it he could never have been. He is now sponsoring some real teaching in American schools.

The 17th district of the Legion held its contest in Abilene, and Ira Clements was one of the judges of the contest. The committee voted that Miss Joyce Ponder of Abilene had the high-tip-top best. So a thing so good as the "Best" was too good for just a few to hear. Mr. Clements invited the young lady, a senior in the Abilene school, to come to Hamlin and let the "Old Americans in Hamlin" hear what it means to be "An American." To get the most to hear the Best, the joint meeting of the two clubs was arranged for. Little Miss Joyce Ponder, a typical Texas Red-head, captivated every man in the bunch. Nobody could hear her address and not think more of this United States. Miss Ponder was accompanied by a Speech Arts director, Miss Pansy Gardner of the Abilene High School. Miss Ponder also spoke before the High school student body in the afternoon.

Come and see the Rainbow Fairies, the Sunshine Fairies, and the Dream Fairies dance in Fairyland at the High school auditorium, Friday, April 26, at 8:00.

### \*DID YOU KNOW

That W. F. Johnson, the truck man, has secured the contract to carry the mail between Hamlin and Anson (twice per day) and from Hamlin to Aspermont (once per day) including delivery of mail to boxes on the Star Route between Hamlin and Aspermont.

That the Maintenance Department of this District Highway Service has painted a black strip on No. 83 north out of Hamlin and this is the first time such a marker for safety has ever been painted on this stretch of highway. Now, Buddy, stay on your side of the track and there'll be no crashes.

That Harry Hines, Highway Commissioner, and candidate for Governor says that he will be on the air using about seven stations April 22, at 7:15 and beginning on April 29 he will be on the air every night through May at 8:30.

Did you know that the Hamlin Sand & Gravel Company shipped out 18 car loads of gravel last week. Business is good this year.

Did you know that egg producers should have an egg stamp saying "Infertile" so that every egg that is such could be stamped before selling. Enough will soon be gained to pay for the expense of the stamp and the ink pad. Get them at the Herald office, on three days' notice.

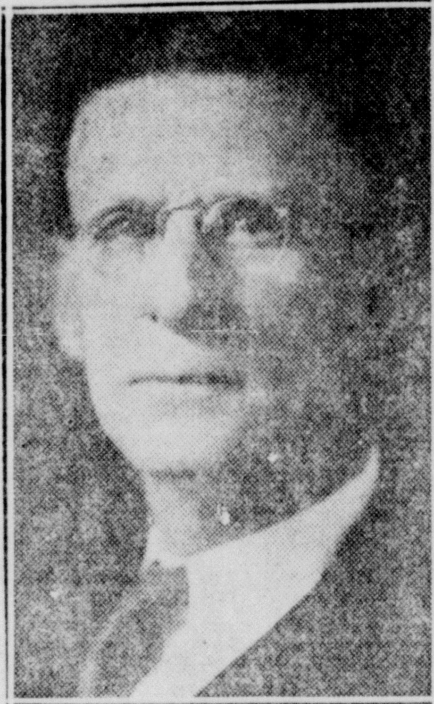
That the City of Hamlin should do something about that high step on the sidewalk at the corner at the York Store. Once upon a time it was not so high but a few years ago the old sidewalk was relaid and increased the height about four or five inches. It is uncomfortable, embarrassing now, even for some of the younger "fat men." City dads, why not have a neat, secure step laid down there. It should be at least 20 inches wide, too.

That over in Abilene one City Farmer was fined \$15.00 for keeping three cows, two horses and a goat within the city limits without a permit.

That the Hamlin Clean-Up is the best ever witnessed in this little city. Cap, how does your place look?

Rev. and Mrs. H. E. East, Mmes. Travis Dean, H. O. Cassle, M. P. May, Ed Brown, Dode Sanford, G. P. Odom, W. F. Johnson, J. W. Ezell, W. R. Wilkerson, and D. W. Stell attended the district meeting of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Union in Abilene, Tuesday and Wednesday.

### Judge W. R. Chapman Announces For Re- Election Dist. Judge



W. R. CHAPMAN

TO THE PEOPLE OF FISHER, JONES AND TAYLOR COUNTIES:

My original announcement for re-election as Judge of the 104th Judicial District appeared on February 18th. My announcement in the weekly papers of the District, has been deferred because I wanted to talk to you, through them, after you became interested in the election.

In September, 1888, when I was 15 years old, I brought an immigrant railroad car through from Hillsboro to Abilene, for my transportation. My first job in Taylor County was on a dairy farm four miles Southwest of Abilene, and my first job in Jones County, was on a farm on Bitter Creek, grubbing mesquite trees and breaking the sod with a yoke of oxen. After nearly a year in Taylor and Jones counties, my father, in 1889, found where I was, and carried me back to my home in Bell County.

In 1892, at the age of 19, I returned to Jones County, where I made my home for the next 35 years. The first six years after returning to Jones County, I taught country schools and studied law in the Winter and Spring months, and worked in the harvest fields in the Summer, and picked cotton during the Fall.

In 1898, I was licensed to practice law. In 1918, after twenty-six years of residence in Jones County, and twenty years as a lawyer, I became a candidate for District Judge of the 39th District, composed of Jones, Fisher, Kent, Stonewall, Haskell and Throckmorton Counties, and was elected in the first primary. In this election, I received a majority of the votes at every voting box in Jones County, and carried the County by a vote of 3171 to 776, for my two opponents.

After five years as Judge of the 39th District, I was appointed a Judge of the Commission of the Supreme Court of Texas, and served to the end of my term, July 1, 1925, at which time I returned to Jones County, and entered the practice of law.

I moved to Taylor County thirteen years ago, upon being appointed Judge of the 104th Judicial District, as now composed of Fisher, Jones and Taylor Counties.

Since 1930, I have been Presiding Judge of the Seventh Administrative Judicial District, and one of the two District Judge Members of the Texas Civil Judicial Council. The appointment of these two places has been made by the different Governors of the State.

The last Legislature passed a law giving the Supreme Court of the State, the authority to revise all of the civil procedure law of the State. The Supreme Court appointed 21 lawyers in the State to do this important work, and included me as one of the two District Judge Members on the Committee.

These three last named places call for additional duties to those of my regular duties as District Judge, but do not carry any additional compensation.

The only reason I hear given for

### POULTRY FACTS

By L. W. BRAMBLETT  
Sweetwater Cotton Oil Co.

#### TEACHING CHICKS TO ROOST

Growing chicks should be taught to roost at an early age. Chickens are habit forming and should not be allowed to sleep on the floor after they are old enough to roost. The longer they are permitted to sleep on the floor the harder it will be to break them from the habit. In teaching chicks to roost it will be necessary to start with a low roost, 3 inches is about the right height. It is a good plan to have several sections of roosts and place them completely around the brooder when the chicks are three or four weeks old. The chicks will soon learn what the roosts are for and occupy them. The principal advantage of having chicks roost at an early age is that they are prevented from bunching up, getting too hot and catching colds. Caution: Do not permit chicks to roost on perches less than 1-2 inch in width at the start.

#### Seniors To Present Annual Play Tonight

The senior class will present the annual class play, "Brothers of Belinda," in the Hamlin High school auditorium, Friday night, April 19, at eight o'clock.

"Brothers of Belinda" is a rapid-fire comedy, brimful of modern pep and humor and realism. Every role is a very natural character, and every character, a star.

Outstanding clever numbers will be featured between acts, presenting Frankie Sue Madden, Joe Clements, Barbara and Naomi Young, La Nelle Andress and Marguerite Nobles, all pupils of Mrs. Heflin Miller; and Maxine Brundage and Billy Joe Barton.

Just received, "This Side of Glory," by Given Bristow. A lovely story for your enjoyment at THE BOOK SHOP At McMahon's

Miss Ila Carlton visited in the home of her parents this past week end. She is attending Draughon's Business College in Abilene.

not re-electing me, is the length of time that I have served, and I want to get that matter clearly before you. When I was appointed Judge of the newly created 104th Judicial District thirteen years ago, I was practicing law, and was 53 years of age, and had been a lawyer for 29 years, had formerly been a District Judge for five years.

I have served you during those thirteen years, after having had the experience mentioned, and have put into that service, every bit of the energy and ability that I possess. I have foregone the opportunity of further establishing a law practice, having faith that you would do the right thing by me, if I successfully filled the important office of District Judge. I come to you now on the record that I have made, asking that you retain me for another term, believing that from my experience, I can render better service than I have heretofore.

Court will be in session in one of the Counties in the District until the date of the Primary, and my work on the Civil Procedure Committee will take six or eight days of each month. I know that you do not want me to, and I am not going to neglect the duties of the office to which you have elected me, nor the work of the important Committee to which the Supreme Court has appointed me; and this will prevent my making an extensive campaign, but I will see every one of you that I can, without neglecting my work.

I want every citizen of the District to know that I appreciate every act of kindness that you have shown me, and that I am deeply grateful to you for retaining me in the work that I like better than any other work that I have ever done.

As stated in my original announcement, in the Abilene Reporter-News of February 18th, this is the last time that I will ask for the office.

Respectfully,

W. R. CHAPMAN

### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NEWS

#### MY HOME TOWN CONTEST

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has its annual meeting at Big Spring, Texas, May 16, 17 and 18th. At the monthly meeting of the directors Tuesday, April 16, they voted unanimously that Hamlin should have an entrant with expenses paid. Tate May was elected as sponsor of this event and has already contacted the school and a group of students is now preparing speeches from which appointed judges will select the three best speakers and the first will get a paid trip to the meeting at Big Spring, the second will receive a \$5.00 cash prize and the third best a \$2.50 cash prize. At the convention last year there were 76 towns that were represented, and it is the hope of the committee that there will be 100 entries at this meeting. The winners there will receive added valuable prizes.

#### NEW BUSINESS

Western Auto Stores have made arrangements to put in a stock of merchandise here. Mr. Barnes will be their manager and will move his family here.

#### NEW HIGHWAY MAPS

The office has received several copies of the new highway map and they have all highway information. If you would like a copy call by the office and get one; carry it in the car with you when making a trip.

#### DID YOU KNOW

Last year our organization raised \$6,250.20 for all purposes and the administrative expenses were just a little over 7 per cent.

That your dues to the Chamber of Commerce should be treated as an investment. If in any way the membership committee has not called on

you, won't you decide now to have a part in the program for 1940 and call the office and take membership.

W. E. BENSON, Secretary

#### NAME LEFT OUT LISTING

##### GREENWAY RELATIVES

The Herald regrets that one name of the children of the late W. W. Greenway was omitted in the report last week. Mrs. Willie Johnson of Rotan, the former Ruby Fay Greenway, a daughter, was not listed in the Herald. Such happenings will sometimes occur, especially if there be a large number of relatives to mention. This is another reminder that a closer checking should be done each time in such circumstances.

#### Expression of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for the kindness shown us when we lost our home by fire. We appreciate the many nice gifts and the thoughtfulness and kindness you have shown in every way.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Reynolds and family

Abilene—Maggie Mae Seymour, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Seymour, of Hamlin, was one of 41 students listed on the mid-semester honor roll at McMurry. Miss Seymour with a total of 66 points was the highest ranking Freshman for this semester. College News Service.

"MAUD", a new book sensation At THE BOOK SHOP at McMahon's

The Herald anywhere, 1 yr. \$1.00.

## The Senior Play "Brothers Of Belinda"

A Three-Act Comedy  
Produced By Special Arrangement With  
The Dramatic Publishing Company, of Chicago

Friday Night, April 19th  
8:00 P. M.

HAMLIN HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

—Cast of Characters—

(In the Order of Their Appearance)

Brooks Eaton	Stanley Wilson
At Guest at Broadacres	
Arlene Niles	Tommie Nell Holman
Rather Fond of Brooks	
Gordon Ellis	Frank Hillier
Another Guest	
Janice Royce	Florine Morgan
Rather Fond of Gordon	
Belinda Bassett	Anita Anderson
An Incurable Flirt	
Wilmot Barnes	Morris Bessire
Bashful but Ardent; Another Guest	
Sally Clifford	Joy Carroll
Very Fond of Wilmot	
Sarah Bassett	Peggy Jane Teague
Belinda's Old Maid Aunt	
Annie	Bobbie Stephens
Sarah's Maid, who is addicted to the giggles	
Barton Bassett	Teddy Russell
Belinda's Father	
Alvin Jones	Robbie Gill
Sarah's Protege	

—Program—

Piano Music	Maxine Brundage
Trumpet Solo, "Blue World"	Billy Joe Burton
Introductions	Teddy Russell
ACT I: The living-room at Broadacres, Sarah Barnett's country home in Westchester. A summer afternoon.	
Tap Strut	Frankie Sue Madden
Buck and Wing	Naomi and Barbara Young
(Pupils of Mrs. Heflin Miller)	
Trumpet Solo, "Indian Summer"	Billy Joe Burton
ACT II: The same. Evening, the same day.	
"Telling the Parents"	Joe Clements
"Collegiate Swing"	Lanelle Andress
Marguerite Nobles	
(Pupils of Mrs. Heflin Miller)	
"Twelfth Street Rag"	Maxine Brundage
ACT III: The same. The following morning.	

ADMISSION 15c—25c Reserved Seats 10c

---CUTEST---

## BABY CONTEST

Begins April 19  
Ends May 4th

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## THIS WEEK

A LITTLE BIT ABOUT

This

AND A LITTLE BIT OF

THAT

This is a New Week. Just one week after the world was shocked by the invasion of two of the oldest and most peaceful nations of the world, Denmark and Norway, by Germany. Nobody thought of that dastardly move but Germany. Nobody was ready to resist. Those nations were at peace with Germany, not even a quarrel to disturb the waters. But all the time spies, under-workers were being planted, evidently, to eat the way for the invasion. Germany wormed her way into her neighbors' hearts to kill and conquer.

—T&amp;T—

This column still predicts that England and France will control every foot of the Norwegian coast by May 1. The peace of the world is at stake if they fail.

—T&amp;T—

Can any American imagine what dread, what cost, what horror, how uncertain life in this nation would be if we had to take orders from a nation with ideas like Germany? Certainly nobody wants a fight unless it is forced. But every step Germany gains over England and France, makes our danger all the more evident.

—T&amp;T—

Which nation permits the most civil liberties today, England or the United States? England is at war, a life and death struggle, yet civil

rights are not curtailed in England. Even communists, fascists, any kind of bolsheviks can publish anything they want to say in blaring headlines against the nation, or may rent a hall and yell their heads off in treasonable language and nothing is done to quell it. Suppose the United States should be in England's shoes. The government may not take steps to stop such underhanded, or open-handed treasonable acts, but thanks to the good old American spirit in most all individuals, such stuff could not be pulled much in this nation. Some alley rat brat would do something about it if strong men and boys did not. That's the difference. Nobody can cuss the United States, when we are at war, and live in it.

—T&amp;T—

This is one reason why the Dies Committee is supported so well by the rank and file, in most sections of the nation. This is a very free country as long as one seeks to stand for freedom, but it's a mighty restricted one when a head bobs up against our ideals of national freedom.

—T&amp;T—

Did you see the Special Edition of the Abilene Reporter-News last Sunday? It came out with a most wonderful expression of what 59 years means to a "new country" city. "Fifty-Nine Years," that's what subtraction gives . . . 1881 . . . 1940.

The Herald man is not through reading the Reporter-News Special, and the more we survey it, the more we find to compliment. To look at that front page, see the production of the modern building, trace the re-produced headlines of years gone away . . . all makes one's mind travel back and back to at least that day twenty-five years ago when first Ye Editor visited the "Reporter Print Shop." And those news heads, "Admiral Dewey," "Huns Surrender," "Hoover Wins Texas," and a hundred others, to bring those anxious days back again. Mr. Anderson, and Messrs.

Hanks and all the gang, you made a good job of it and . . . By heck, we're going to accept that invitation to visit your wonderful new place even if it takes us all the year to get off. You've got a paper plant, and a paper that all West Texas is proud of, and here's wishing the next 41 years of the first hundred will hold for you bigger and bigger things.

### FOR RENT

3-room unfurnished south apartment.

JESS BONDS (25)

Let the Run-away Fairy guide you to Fairyland, April 26, at 8:00 o'clock.

Max Carlton left last Thursday for San Diego, California, where he is in the Navy.

Bring your wishes to the beautiful Fairy Queen. She can make them all come true. High school auditorium, Friday, April 26th.

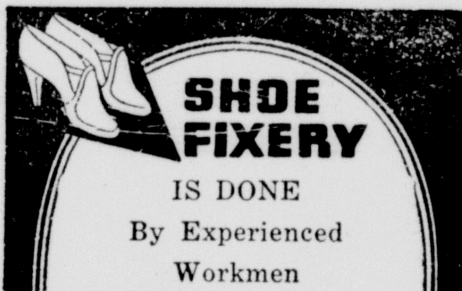
### A Gentle Laxative Good For Children

Most any child who takes this tasty laxative once will welcome it the next time he's constipated and it has him headachy, cross, listless, with bad breath, coated tongue or little appetite.

Syrup of Black-Draught is a tasty liquid companion to the famous BLACK-DRAUGHT. The principal ingredient is the same in both products; helps impart tone to lazy bowel muscles.

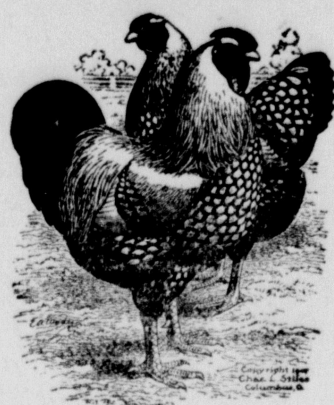
The Syrup's flavor appeals to most children, and, given by the simple directions, its action is usually gentle, but thorough. Remember Syrup of Black-Draught next time. Two sizes: 50c and 25c.

A waiting list for "Kitty Foyle" at THE BOOK SHOP at McMahon's



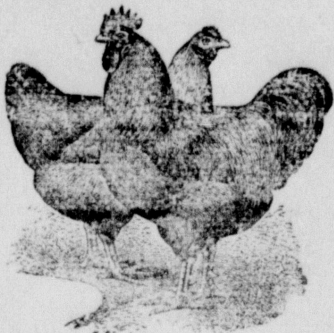
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### BAPTIST CHURCH

Mrs. Curtis Martin and Mrs. R. Y. Barrow spent Saturday and Sunday in Stephenville visiting their daughters, Misses Marion Martin and Mildred Barrow, students in John Tarleton College.

Mr. and Mrs. Denman Morgan of Dallas came up Saturday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morgan. Mrs. Morgan is spending the week here. In this connection the Herald will tell you that Denman Morgan has recently acquired a fine position with The Insurance Co. of North America with headquarters in Dallas.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

AS CANDIDATES

For Public Offices  
In Jones County, Texas

#### FOR COUNTY TREASURER:

C. J. (Bill) ARMSTRONG  
CLARENCE YOUNG  
CHARLES STIFFLEMIRE  
J. R. (Rex) REDDELL  
GEO. W. POE  
OLIN POTTS

#### FOR COUNTY JUDGE:

WALTER S. POPE, Jr.  
FRANK M. LOCK  
GILBERT SMITH

#### FOR COUNTY CLERK:

MRS. OMA SPRABERRY  
LEONARD McNUTT

#### FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:

GEO. P. HUDSON  
TRAVIS B. DEAN

#### FOR COMMISSIONER Prec. No. 1

JOHN C. TURNER  
J. C. HARWELL

#### FOR SHERIFF:

BILL DUNWODY

#### For TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR:

BURT DEAN

#### FOR DISTRICT CLERK:

ROBERT W. CROSS  
(Re-election)  
BILLIE R. CEARLEY

#### FOR DISTRICT JUDGE

OWEN THOMAS  
W. R. CHAPMAN

#### FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE:

115th District  
H. S. (Gob) FitzGerald  
W. C. (Ted) RUSSELL

#### FOR COMMISSIONER Prec. No. 2:

(Fisher County)  
E. C. WALDROP  
ROY CAMERON  
R. L. (Red) MIERS  
(Re-Election)

### METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. John W. Hendrix, Pastor

Did you attend public worship any where last Sunday? It is evident many didn't. Our services were well attended at both hours. In this crucial hour a close examination is being made. It is being revealed that the grist for our courts and the crowds in our prisons are not from our churches, attendance at Sunday school and public worship. The Church has not broken down!

Church school swings wide an open door to you and yours next Sunday, 9:45 A. M.

A couple of dozen capable and sincere teachers and officers await your service, to make your trip profitable and pleasant.

MORNING WORSHIP comes on at 10:50. And observe that it starts at that time, 10:50. An increasing group of people are coming to feel that no Sabbath could be complete without these hours of worship. The choir can be counted on to share with appropriate hymns, and the pastor will deliver a sermon, using as subject, "The Throne The Galilean Carpenter Built." These are discourses in an endeavor to set the work the influence of the church in correct order in our thinking.

EVENING WORSHIP comes on at 7:45. People are finding this service worth their while, more and more of them. It opens with the Big Sing, well known and popular songs. The pastor will deliver a sermon and the theme, "Is My Son Absalom Safe?"

Leagues, Intermediate and Young People, meet in their places at 6:45 P. M.

Adding machine rolls 15c or two for 25c at the Herald Office.

### Dr. L. P. McCrary

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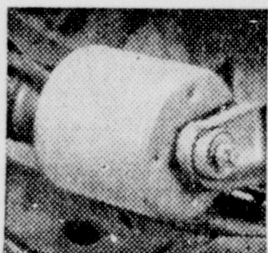
## CHEVROLET'S Exclusive VACUUM-POWER SHIFT

easiest of all gearshifts to operate...

80% Automatic—Only 20% Driver Effort!

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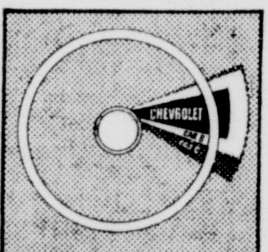
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Tests prove Chevrolet's to be the easiest steering column gearshift to operate. Compared with the two cars next in sales, Chevrolet requires only 2.8 ft.-lb. effort, Car B 8.5, Car C 14.8.

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Stop and Go—Red and Green—Halt! Start! That's traffic. And that's where Chevrolet's easy shifting is appreciated. Vacuum does 80% of the work; only 20% is done by the driver. No tugging, no shoving!

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Buy It

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HAMLIN, TEXAS



## Clubs-Society



241 and 165

### Mrs. Z. T. Wilson Hostess To Club

Mrs. Z. T. Wilson was hostess to the Stitch and Chatter Club in her home Thursday afternoon. Spring flowers decorated rooms where the guests spent the time sewing and chatting.

Roll call was answered with favorite poems.

At the tea hour a salad plate with strawberry shortcake and spiced tea was served to Mrs. O. G. Harvey, a guest, and the following members: Mmes. Harold Bonner, Eddie Jay, L. H. McBride, Blakeley Campbell, Roy Gilbreath, Joe Simpson, Vernon Harrell and Hubert Morton.

### Junior Class Host Junior-Senior Banquet

The senior class, faculty members and class mothers and fathers were honored by the junior class of Hamlin High school, Friday evening, at the annual banquet which was held at the Methodist Church.

A garden motif was emphasized with a color theme of blue and gold. Tables were centered with arrangements of calceolarias and corn flowers and were lighted by blue and gold candles tied with blue cellophane. Favors were miniature shovels, filled with mints and tied with blue and gold cellophane, and tickets to the theatre party which bore a picture of the Ferguson Theatre.

The central decoration was a miniature rock garden, centered by a reflector and surrounded by potted plants and flowers which concealed the indirect lights.

The banquet was prepared by the Methodist Women's Missionary Society and was served by girls from the sophomore class of Hamlin High school.

R. A. Dean, junior class president, acted as toastmaster, and introduced the following program which carried out the garden theme: Invocation, Mr. W. C. Russell; "Plowing," Dub Wilemon; "Hoing and Sowing," Teddy Russell, senior class president; "The Gardner," Supt. G. R. Bennett; "April Showers," a two piano number, by Chas. Brown and Harold Fletcher; "Blossoms," a reading, Marguerite Nobles; "Flowers," an accordion solo, Mrs. Joe McCrary; "The Harvester," Mr. Frank M. Lawlis, principal of the High school; Benediction, Mr. W. L. Fletcher, Jr.; and a theatre party at the Ferguson Theatre.

Guests included members of the senior class, junior class, and Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Lawlis, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. E. A.

riage Monday afternoon, April 15th, at three o'clock in Anson. The ceremony was read by Rev. Armstrong, pastor of the Anson Methodist church.

Mrs. Jenkins is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Gabriel of Hamlin. She is a graduate of the Hamlin High school and for several years has been employed in the Dry Goods department of the Bryant-Link Company in Hamlin.

Mr. Jenkins is the son of Mrs. J. W. Jenkins, of the Dovie community. He is employed with an oil company in Seminole where he and his wife will make their home.

### Social For Methodist Young People's League

Tuesday, April 9, the Methodist young people met at the church for an informal evening of recreation. Group games were played, followed by a questionnaire. A pleasant evening was climaxed with servings of ice cream and cake, after which plans were made for attending the district rally in Albany.

About twenty-five were present, sponsored by Bro. J. W. Hendrix and Mrs. Don Gould. Mrs. Gould is the young people's League sponsor, with the active support of Mrs. J. W. Hendrix.

### Miss Marie West Marries Sylvester Man

Miss Marie West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. West of Hamlin, and Mr. Walter Griffin of Sylvester, were united in marriage Wednesday, April 17th. They are spending their honeymoon in Lamesa, with Mr. Griffin's relatives.

### Woman's Literary Club

Mrs. S. C. Ferguson was hostess to the Woman's Literary Club in her home south of Hamlin, Friday afternoon for a business session and study hour. Pan American Day was observed with Mrs. Bowen Pope directing the program. The purpose of the Pan American Union was given by Mrs. Wallace Walton, and Mrs. Carl Clifford discussed The United States and Latin America. Mrs. Art Carmichael gave an interesting review of Mexico Marches.

The club year will close with a Spring Breakfast to be held at the Morgan Hotel, Friday morning, April 26, at 8:30 o'clock, at which time officers for the coming year will be installed.

### Miss Pauline Gabriel Weds Chester Jenkins

Miss Pauline Gabriel and Mr. Chester Jenkins were united in mar-

### Spring Theme Used At Club Party

Mrs. Willard Maberry entertained members of the Treces Senoras club and other guests in her home Tuesday afternoon with bridge.

A spring theme was emphasized in decorations and all appointments with roses and bridalwreath attractively arranged in the entertaining rooms.

In games of bridge Mrs. W. E. Akers held high score for the club and Mrs. J. O. Jones scored high for guests. A salad plate with pineapple ice box cake and iced tea was served.

Members present were: Mmes. Roy Gilbreath, W. E. Akers, L. H. McBride, Bill Rountree, Raymond Jones, M. T. Hudson, Clinton Barrow, Otis Hopper, and C. F. Butcher. Guests were Mmes. J. O. Jones, J. F. Taylor and Ted Bledsoe.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Jenkins had as guests Tuesday night, Mrs. Jenkins' sister, Mrs. W. H. Miller and daughter Patsy, from Denton. Mrs. Miller was accompanied by three other ladies, one from McKinney and two from Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Young came down from Hobbs Sunday to visit old friends. Sam returned to resume his job as Chief of Police in the booming New Mexico city. Mrs. Young is enjoying a week of visiting with Mrs. Eunice Thompson and other old friends in Hamlin.

Mmes. Travis Dean, Art Carmichael and Henry Albritton attended the meeting of First District, Women's Federated Clubs in Breckenridge, Monday. Mrs. Carmichael was the official delegate from the Hamlin Woman's Literary Club.

## Swedonia School In Radio Program Fri.

Pupils of the Swedonia school will be heard over Station KXOX in Sweetwater, Friday afternoon, April 19, at 4:30 o'clock in a San Jacinto Day program. Plans have been made to spend the entire day, Friday, in Sweetwater visiting places of interest, with a noon day lunch at the Sweetwater Park.

A number of parents and the following teachers will accompany the pupils: Mr. and Mrs. John B. White, Mrs. Lott Shell, and Miss Blanche Killingsworth.

## 'Fairies Are Really Truly'

Operetta In Three Acts

BY RUTH E. DAY

65 CHILDREN IN BEAUTIFUL COSTUMES

HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

Friday, April 26 — 8:00 P. M.

ADMISSION 10c And 25c

Dr. and Mrs. Joe McCrary had Mr. and Mrs. Tex Moore, as guests in their home last week, following their return from the dentists convention in Dallas. Tex Moore is Texas' leading landscape artist.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lamb of Baird came up Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Dick Moore and others.

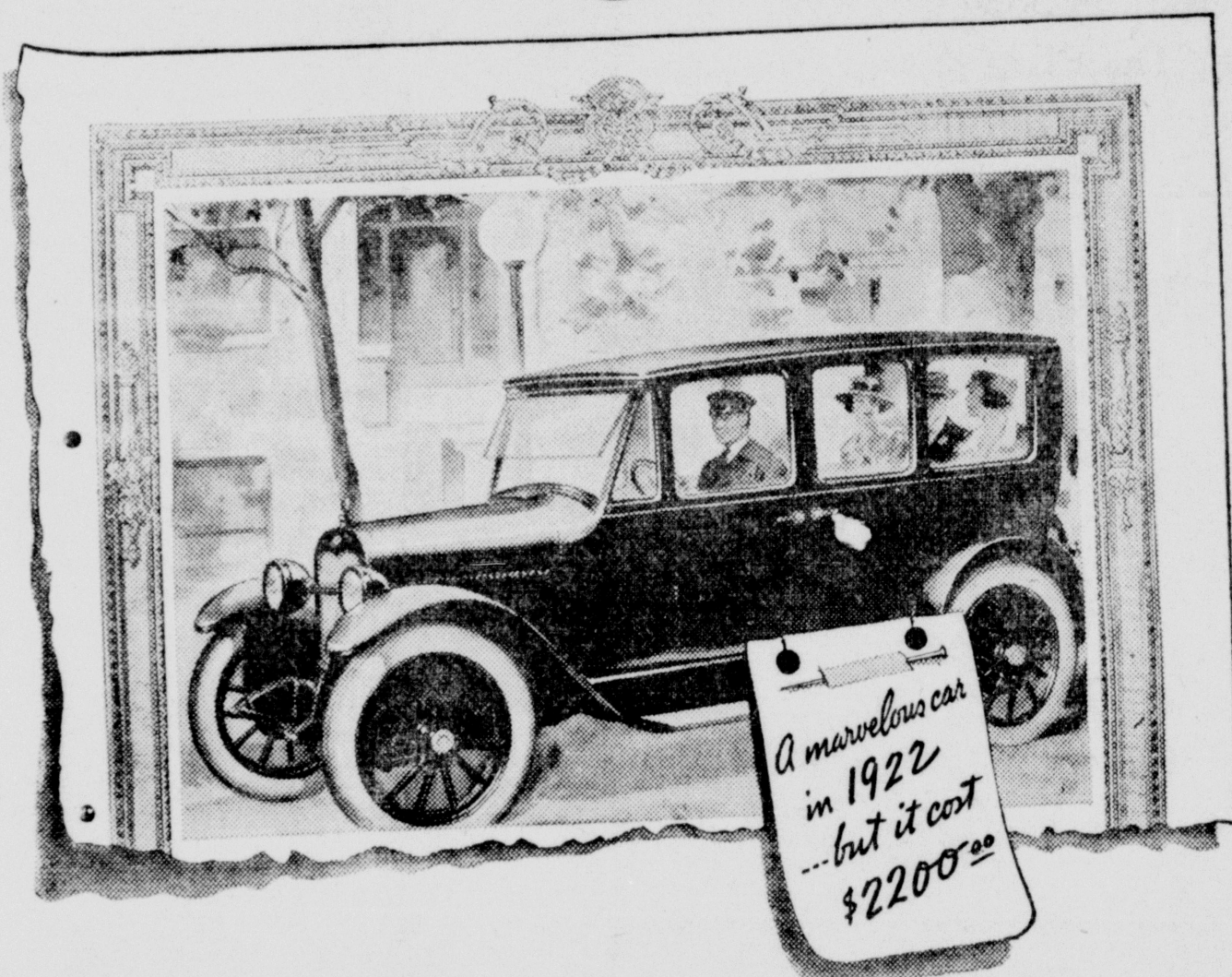
Mrs. George Gentry and her brother, R. W. Smith and wife, of Kermit, are spending a two weeks' vacation in Los Angeles, Calif.

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Homemaking, formerly called Home Economics, is a subject as old as Time. Classes in Hamlin High in Homemaking I feature instruction in simple sewing problems and selection of garments for each girl; also a study of children and their play and selection of toys that are constructive and will help the child develop. Then each girl also learns the simple principles of cooking including the preparation and serving of breakfast and lunch or supper.

Homemaking II consists of preparation and serving of dinners and a study of kitchens, their equipment, and the floor plan and furnishings for the meal service unit.

Each year one girl from each class is selected as outstanding enough to represent the school at the State Rally. The first year girl models her wash school dress and also enters two other contests based on class work. The second year girl models a complete tailored costume that she has made in class with suitable accessories. She also enters two other contests. The representatives this year will be La Verne Johnson, 1st year; and Wanda Wilemon, 2nd year; Gwendolyn Duke will be F.H.T. club representative.

The Future Homemakers of Texas Rally was started twenty-one years ago as the "Girls Clothing Contest." This first meeting was held in the basement of the University Baptist Church in Austin in 1919 with 49 present. In 1938, 2,576 girls met in San Antonio. Later the name was changed to the "Clothing Contest," and in 1938 it was given its present title.

This year we are glad to celebrate the twenty-first birthday of our organization in Dallas. Instead of the annual banquet there will be a Birthday Party.

THE FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF HAMLIN HIGH ARE:

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VERLA BRANSCUM  
OLA FAY BURGESS  
DORINE CARLTON  
ROZELL CONNER  
CRAIGOLENE ELMORE  
MOZELL ESSARY  
VERA PEARL FIELDER  
MARIE HULING  
LA VERNE JOHNSON  
FAY JERONE JOHNSON  
BERTIE RUTH MAYNARD  
NEVA DELL NEILL  
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ROSE MARY BRISTOW  
GWENDOLYN DUKE  
MOZELLE GABRIEL  
BOBINELL HAVENS  
MAC DELL HAVENS  
WINNIE FAYE  
INEZ JOINER  
MOLLIE JO JONES  
DOROTHY RHOTON  
BILLIE FAYE ROUNTREE  
MARY JO SILLS  
PAULINE SMITH  
CLARA SPRATLIN  
DOROTHY MAY THOMAS  
INEZ WALLACE

#### Homemaking II

MARY NELL BELL  
VERLA JO BRUNER  
MYRLE CARLTON  
PHALA DAVIS  
MINNIE LEE ELKINS  
MILDRED FIELDS  
EULA FUDGE  
PAYRENE GARDNER  
ZELMA GREEN  
RUBY GREGORY  
RUBY HERR  
CHRISTINE JENKINS  
BILLIE JOHNSON  
JUANITA RIDDLE  
DOROTHY FERN ROUTH  
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NELL BARNES  
JACKIE BARTON  
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LOUISE JENKINS  
HERBY FAY JOHNSTON  
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LIBBY'S Or CAMPBELL'S  
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2 Boxes ... **23¢**  
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Lipton's 1/4 lb box ... **23¢**  
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## BOYD CHAPEL CHIRPS

(By Mrs. L. F. Cozzen)

J. P. Cornelius was the center of attraction at his home Thursday when his wife and part of his children surprised him with a birthday dinner. Besides a nice dinner J. P. received quite a few nice gifts. Those enjoying the occasion with him were his daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Nichols and little son Jerri, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Maberry and children Forest Wayne and Belinda Ann and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Flenniken and small son Tommy.

Virginia Sue Cozzen with several of McCaulley's young people and Rev. and Mrs. Ottinger of the Methodist church, attended the District meeting of the League at Albany Saturday night and Sunday. They all report a splendid time.

Boyd Chapel was certainly well represented at the Singing Convention Saturday evening and Sunday at McCaulley. We just hope the McCaulley singers pay our visit back the next second Sunday afternoon when we have our singing.

Singing at Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bingham's Wednesday evening of last week was well attended and we did have a good singing. The next Wednesday evening singing is to be at the Methodist Church on April 24. Everybody come and bring your book and some one with you.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Milstead had their daughter, Miss Viva, as a guest over the week end. It will be remembered Viva teaches school at Senora.

Virginia Sue Cozzen attended the Junior-Senior banquet at the Methodist Church at Hamlin Friday evening of last week.

Miss Polly Kelly is working in Abilene now. Hurrah for Polly! If she can't get a job in one place she will in another.

Let's everyone be in our place in Sunday school next Sunday. It is also preaching day at the Methodist church. We have lost out quite a bit the last two Sundays on account of the big singing, so let's all be there with a good lesson and on time next Sunday.

Rev. J. D. Vaughn filled his regular place in the pulpit at the Baptist church Saturday evening and at both services Sunday.

Everyone is rejoicing over the electric lights we finally got Wednesday of last week.

Those of us who were not fortunate enough to get them in our homes are glad for the more fortunate ones and are glad we have them in both churches and in the school building.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Young and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Gamey of Carpenter's Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Irby Weaver and baby Carlmax and Mr. and Mrs. Wortham Crow spent Sunday together with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis and Mr. and Mrs. George Gibson of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Balcum and two children from Sweetwater and Mrs. Weldon Smith and daughter from Spur were visitors in the B. W. Balcum home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gosa from Union visited the J. B. Gosa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Crow and family from Big Spring visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Crow Sunday.

We had a nice crowd at the P-T A Thursday evening. We had as our guests our County Supt. and wife, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Beavers. We are always glad to welcome them in our midst. We all enjoyed Mr. Beavers' talk on Standardized Schools and we were very glad to learn that our school is one of the 10 Standardized schools in our county. We have some wide-awake teachers pulling for us and also some trustees who stay on the job.

This week we are installing an electric radio. We are very sorry all the patrons and especially our trustees were not there Thursday evening to hear what Mr. Beavers said about the credits our school could get by keeping the same teacher for a number of years.

Those on the honor roll this time are:

1st Grade—Deryl Young, Connie Flood and David Young.

2nd Grade—John Otis Young.

3rd Grade—James Curtis Jennings.

4th Grade—Rayford Ward, Dolores Young, Yvonne Young, Walter Lee Gosa, Fay Linzy Flood, Katherine Bristow and Vernon Joe Sellers.

5th Grade—Eulan Thomas Fails, Joanne Jennings and Luther Ellis McClure.

6th Grade—Hilder Hubbard and Starkey Cozzen.

7th Grade—Roy Tinnon and Durl Ward.

Mrs. Bessie Tinnon carried a car full of our boys to McCaulley to a Boy Scout meeting Monday night.

## DOVIE NEWS

By Vada Taylor

April 13th and 14th some of the young people of the Dovie League enjoyed a District League meeting at Albany. The ones who attended from Dovie were: Ida V. Cooley, Virginia Lee Cooley, Lester Jenkins, Morris Bessire, and Alvis Cooley. Saturday afternoon this group gave a worship program at Albany. Everyone enjoyed the meeting.

The Dovie Epworth League gave a very interesting program Sunday night. The title was, "We Are Going to India." The leader of the program was Elvin Cooley. Alvis Cooley gave a talk on "The People of India," Morris Bessire made a talk on "The History of India and Their Religion," and Earnest Reed gave a talk on "The Different Languages of India." The Scripture reading was given by Virginia Cooley.

We invite all young people, who are not in a young people's division, to come to Dovie every Sunday night. We will assure you that you will find a hearty welcome.

## J. M. Renfro Died At Wichita Falls Hospital

After a very long illness and stay in a hospital, J. M. Renfro, formerly a farmer of the Neinda community, passed away in Wichita Falls Tuesday, April 16, at 1:45 A. M. Age 87 years, 11 months and 25 days.

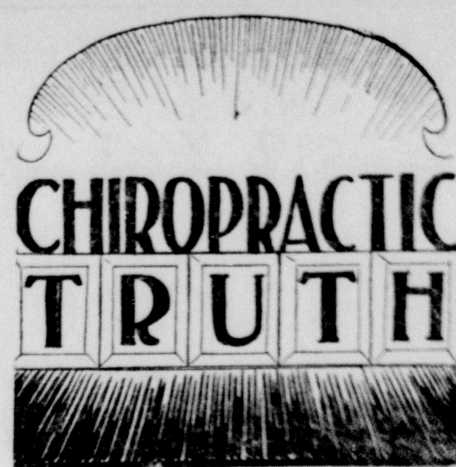
The deceased had made Jones county his home for 28 years. He came to the Neinda community in 1902, and became one of the county's leading farmers till his health failed him about ten years ago.

Mr. Renfro is survived by the following children: Mrs. E. K. Whittemburg, Bud Renfro, and J. B. Renfro, all of Hamlin, and Floyd Renfro of Knox City, Texas. His wife preceded him in death in 1925.

The Barrow Funeral Directors returned the body to Hamlin and had charge of funeral and burial arrangements.

The funeral was held at the Neinda Methodist Church on Wednesday, by the pastor, Rev. Ottinger. Interment was in the Neinda cemetery.

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## Methodist Youngsters Attended Albany Rally

The young people of the Methodist Church attended the district rally for young people at Albany the 13th and 14th of this month. The program was full and inspirational, with a theme of "Christian Recipes for Life."

Plans were made for attending the Summer Assembly for Y. P. this summer at McMurry College. Outstanding speakers of this district led the group in their worship and study.

The Hamlin church had the largest representation of any visiting church. The young people of the Hamlin Methodist church are going forward with great strides in their work, and the church is proud of them.

The District conference of Young People's work met last Saturday and Sunday in Albany. It assembled better than a hundred representative young people from all over the Abilene District. Fifteen of the local young people of the Methodist church were in attendance. They report a most enjoyable and profitable trip.

## TUXEDO NEWS TIPS

By AUDREY HARWELL

Miss Margaret Lee Teague of New Hope visited Miss Marcella Gay and Miss Merle Eaton here Thursday afternoon.

Miss Lou Williams was in Denton Wednesday night on business.

The Tuxedo school will put on three plays the first day of May and will also have school day.

Mrs. S. J. McCoy visited Mrs. Margaret Ashburn in the Stamford Hospital Monday.

Patsy Sue Capps spent the week end with Omie Ruth Corley of Stamford.

Mrs. Sam Baize of Stamford spent Sunday with Mrs. J. C. Harwell and family.

Rev. C. S. Cox filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday. He brought two fine sermons. Rev. and Mrs. Cox spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. England.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clifford, Mrs. Frank Johnson and Miss Allie Whiteley spent Tuesday in Breckenridge. Mr. Clifford on business and the ladies attended the meeting of First District of Texas Federated Clubs.



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Hockless Sugar Cured  
**Picnics** lb **13¢**  
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**Bacon** lb **23¢**  
Bulk Sugar Cured  
**Bacon** sliced lb **15¢**

Canterbury  
**Tea** 1/2 lb pkg **29¢**  
American Wonder  
**Peas** No. 2 **10¢**  
Pinto 10 lb bag  
**Beans** **45¢**  
Zee Toilet  
**Tissue** roll **5¢**

Su-Purb Gran.  
**Soap** 24 oz **17¢**  
Lux 5 oz. pkg  
**Flakes** **10¢**  
Sierra Pine  
**Soap** 3 bars **19¢**  
Mammp Lou  
**Meal** 20 lbs **45¢**

**Coffee** Airwap 2 1 lb. Pkgs. **25¢**  
Fresh  
**Coffee** Edward's 1 LB. **21¢**  
Vacuum Packed Tin  
**Coffee** Chase & Sanborn 1 LB. Pkg. **23¢**  
**White Magic** Bleach 2 Quart Bottles **25¢**

**MUSTARD** French's 6 oz jar **9¢**  
**Jell Well** ass't flavors 3 pkgs **10¢**  
**Spices** Durkee's 1 1/2 oz pkg **5¢**  
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